

REMARKS

Claims **1-4, 9-10, 12-15, 20-21, 24, 27-29, 31-47, 51**, and **53-61** are pending in this application. According to the March 18, 2010 Office Action, all claims are rejected.

We have amended independent claims **1, 12, 47**, and **58**, and have amended dependent claims **2, 9-10, 13, 20-21, 29, 31-34, 41-45**, and **51** to recite particular embodiments that we, in our business judgment, have currently determined to be commercially desirable. We will pursue the subject matter of the previously presented claims in one or more continuing applications.

Accordingly, the following claims are under consideration:

- Independent claims **1, 12, 47**, and **58**.
- Dependent claims **2-4, 9-10, 13-15, 20-21, 24, 27-29, 31-46, 51, 53-57**, and **59-61**.

I. REJECTION OF THE CLAIMS UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 101

At pages 2-4 of the Office Action, the Examiner rejects claims **1-4, 9-10, 12-15, 20-21, 24, 27-29, 31-47, 51**, and **53-61** under 35 U.S.C. § 101 as being directed to non-statutory subject matter. We respectfully submit that the rejection is now moot.

II. AUTHORIZATION FOR EMAIL COMMUNICATIONS

Recognizing that Internet communications are not secure, Applicants hereby authorize the USPTO to communicate with any authorized representative concerning any subject matter of this application by electronic mail. Applicants understand that a copy of these communications will be made of record in the application file.

III. CONCLUSION

We respectfully submit that the claims are in condition for allowance. We request that the application be passed to issue in due course. The Examiner is urged to telephone the undersigned representative at the number noted below if it will advance the prosecution of this application, or with any suggestion to resolve any condition that would impede allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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